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# Gran Turismo 3 A-spec

PlayStation 2 Instruction Manual

## INTRODUCTION

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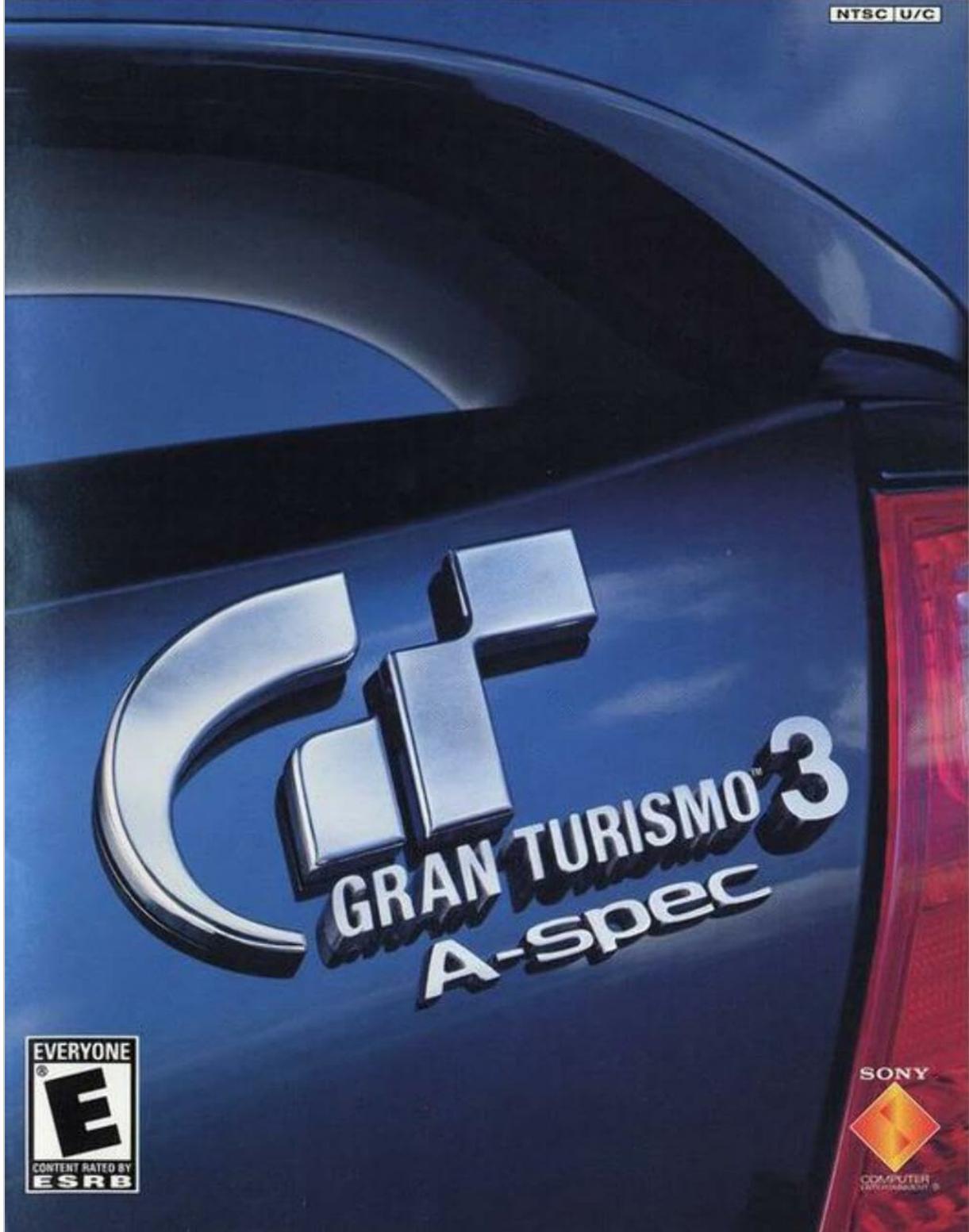
Gran Turismo 3 A-spec is a highly technical and refined racing simulation game for the PlayStation 2 console. It offers a blend of arcade-style racing with blinding speeds and a deeply customizable simulation mode, designed to provide a realistic driving experience.

The game features photo-realistic graphics that aim to blur the line between virtual and real racing. Its physics engine is precisely calculated, adhering to real-life car specifications. Players will experience a star-studded soundtrack, including original songs and remixes, and encounter opponent racers that exhibit 'Emotion' physics for dynamic interactions.

# PlayStation 2



NTSC U/C



*Image: Front cover of Gran Turismo 3 A-spec for PlayStation 2.*

## SETUP

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To play Gran Turismo 3 A-spec, ensure you have a PlayStation 2 console with NTSC U/C designation. A Memory Card (for PS2) with a minimum of 256KB free space is required to save game progress.

## Installation

1. Insert the Gran Turismo 3 A-spec game disc into your PlayStation 2 console.
2. Turn on your PlayStation 2 console.
3. The game should load automatically. If not, navigate to the disc icon on the PlayStation 2 menu and select it.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### Controls

Gran Turismo 3 A-spec supports 1-2 players. The game utilizes Analog Control, Vibration Function, and Pressure Sensitive buttons for an immersive experience. Refer to your PlayStation 2 controller manual for specific button layouts.

### Game Modes

- **Arcade Mode:** Offers quick races with immediate action.
- **Simulation Mode:** Provides a comprehensive career experience, allowing players to earn credits, purchase and customize vehicles, and compete in various championships.

### Vehicle Customization and Tuning

In Simulation Mode, players can acquire vehicles from a wide range of manufacturers, including:

- Acura, Alfa Romeo, Aston Martin, Audi, BMW, Chevrolet, Chrysler, Citroen, Daihatsu, Dodge, Fiat, Ford, Gillet, Honda, Jaguar, Lancia, Lister, Lotus, Mazda, Mercedes-Benz, Mini, Mitsubishi, Nissan, Opel, Pagani, Panoz, Peugeot, Renault, Ruf, Shelby, Subaru, Suzuki, Tickford, Tommykaira, Toyota, TVR, Volkswagen.

Vehicles can be extensively tuned and customized, affecting their performance and handling characteristics. Adjustments include horsepower, ride height, tire type, vehicle mass, and more.

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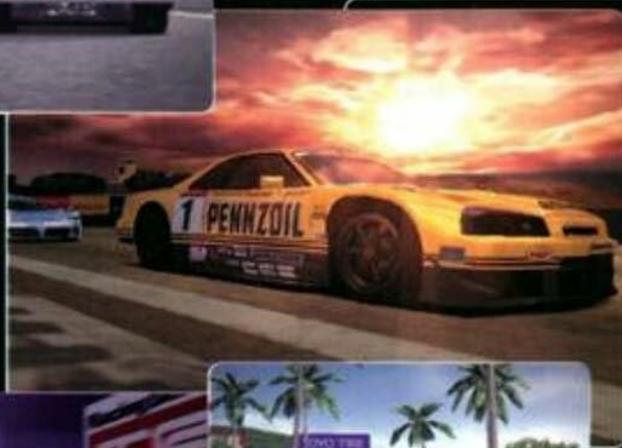
All of the world's top manufacturers

Obsessively technical. Meticulously refined. Viciously fast. A fervent arcade mode with blinding speeds. A passionately customizable simulation mode. You've never seen anything this suped-up.



Photo-realistic graphics blur the line between game and reality

Precise calculated physics designed according to each car's real-life specifications



Star-studded soundtrack featuring original songs and remixes



Opponent racers come to life with "Emotion" physics

- ACURA
- ALFA ROMEO
- ASTON MARTIN
- AUDI
- BMW
- CHEVROLET
- CHRYSLER
- CITROEN
- DAIHATSU
- DODGE
- FIAT
- FORD
- GILLET
- HONDA
- JAGUAR
- LANCIA
- LISTER
- LOTUS
- MAZDA
- MERCEDES-BENZ
- MINI
- MITSUBISHI
- NISSAN
- OPEL
- PAGANI
- PANAZ
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- RENAULT
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1 - 2 Players | Memory Card (for PS2) - minimum 256k | Digital Control  
Analog Control | Vibration Function | Pressure Sensitive

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Image: Back cover of Gran Turismo 3 A-spec, highlighting game features and car manufacturers.

## MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and proper functioning of your Gran Turismo 3 A-spec game disc:

- Always handle the disc by its edges to avoid touching the playing surface.
- Store the disc in its original case when not in use to protect it from dust and scratches.

- If the disc becomes dirty, gently wipe it with a soft, lint-free cloth from the center outwards. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- Avoid exposing the disc to extreme temperatures or direct sunlight.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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If you encounter issues while playing Gran Turismo 3 A-spec, consider the following:

- **Game not loading:** Ensure the disc is clean and free of scratches. Verify that the PlayStation 2 console is functioning correctly and that the disc is inserted properly.
- **Game freezing or crashing:** Clean the game disc. Ensure your PlayStation 2 console has adequate ventilation to prevent overheating. If using a Memory Card, ensure it is not corrupted.
- **Controller issues:** Check that your controller is properly connected to the console. If using a wireless controller, ensure it is charged and synced.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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- **Number of Players:** 1-2
- **Computer Platform:** PlayStation 2
- **UPC:** 711719738022, 711719710226
- **ASIN:** B0000503MO
- **Release Date:** June 15, 2006
- **Item Model Number:** 711719710226
- **Item Weight:** 5.9 ounces
- **Product Dimensions:** 7.75 x 5.5 x 0.75 inches
- **Language:** English
- **ESRB Rating:** EVERYONE (E) - Mild Lyrics

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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### Video Overview

Watch an overview of Gran Turismo 3 A-spec:

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*Video: An honest review and overview of Gran Turismo 3 A-spec gameplay and features.*

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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This product was manufactured by Sony Computer Entertainment. For general support regarding PlayStation 2 systems or game-related inquiries, please refer to the official PlayStation support channels or the contact information provided with your console.

For information regarding the ESRB rating, you may visit [www.esrb.org](http://www.esrb.org) or call 1-800-771-3772.